

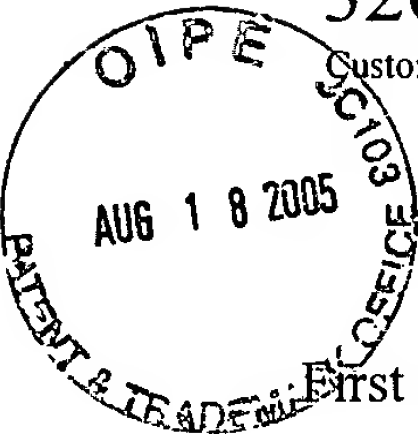
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Title: OPTICAL FIBER CONNECTOR SYSTEM

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It is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued in connection with the above-identified patent. The required text is submitted on the attached form.

Because the listed errors first occurred in the printed patent, and are not due to Applicant's mistake, no fee is required in connection with this Certificate of Correction.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 3

Line 15, Delete "electromagnetic" and insert -- (electro-magnetic -- therefor.

Column 4

Lines 12-13, After " $h > \sum_1^n f_n$ " insert -- , --.

Column 6

Line 15 -- After "entering" delete "to".

Column 8

Line 48, Delete "farther" and insert -- further -- therefor.
Line 66, Insert -- of -- before "each".

Column 9

Line 4, Delete "latched" and insert -- latch -- therefor.
Line 10, Delete "cavies" and insert -- cavities -- therefor.
Line 12, Insert -- , -- before "application".
Line 13, Delete "plates" and insert -- plate -- therefor.
Line 25, After "member" delete "an opening".

Column 10

Line 31, Delete "housing,assembly" and insert -- housing assembly -- therefor.

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